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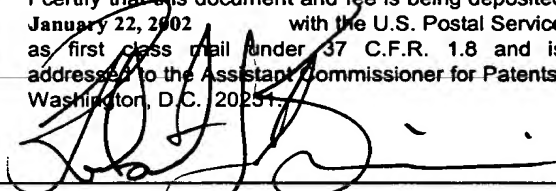
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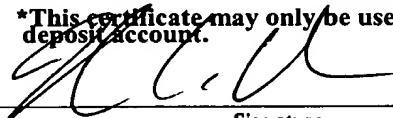
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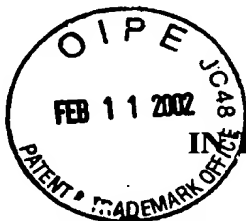


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In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.56, Applicants request that citation and examination of the following documents be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

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Applicants look forward to early and favorable consideration of this matter.

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